

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 378  
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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Scarlett Hodge, 2003  
Salutatorian of F.C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High  
School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Scarlett Hodge is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2003 graduating class at F.C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Scarlett has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 3.93 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to this stellar academic achievement, Scarlett has been involved in a number of activities throughout her high school career; she was a member of the National Honor Society, the Interact Club, the 4-H Club, the American Legion Auxiliary, and the Westwood Church of Christ Youth Group; and

WHEREAS, she displays her remarkable athletic abilities on the soccer field, the softball diamond, and the basketball court; she is also a member of the cheerleading squad; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Scarlettte was elected Vice President of her Junior Class, was voted "Most School Spirit" by her fellow Seniors, and was recognized in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, among a host of other awards and honors; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy accomplishments are a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Fred and Rebecca Hodge, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Scarlettte's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; she plans to attend Motlow State Community College in the fall; and

WHEREAS, Scarlettte Hodge's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 F.C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High School Salutatorian, Scarlettte Hodge, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.